

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 1999-494-C - ORDER NO. 2000-010
JANUARY 4, 2000

IN RE: Application of BellSouth)	ORDER
Telecommunications, Inc. for Approval to)	APPROVING
Transfer the South Carolina Assets of)	TRANSFER OF
BellSouth Communications Systems, Inc. to)	ASSETS
BellSouth Corporation.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the Application of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for approval to transfer the South Carolina assets of BellSouth Communication Systems, Inc. (BCS) to BellSouth Corporation. BellSouth Communications Systems is a separate subsidiary of BBS Holdings, Inc., which is a separate and wholly owned subsidiary of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. The purpose of the transfer, according to the Application, is to better align sales and marketing forces resulting from the corporate reorganization of management. The Application is filed pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-310 (Supp. 1998) and S.C. Code Regs. 103-834.

Pursuant to the directions of the Commission's Executive Director, the matter was noticed in newspapers of general circulation in BellSouth's service area. No Protests or Petitions to Intervene were received. Expedited review was therefore requested, and said review is granted.

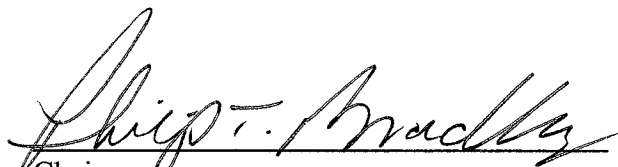
BCS markets and maintains voice and data communications systems and related products. Operationally, BCS will provide basically the same services after the restructure as it is

currently providing. The assets to be transferred consist primarily of personal computers, repair parts for computer equipment, office support equipment, motor vehicles, and furniture. The value of the assets to be transferred is approximately \$1.2 million.

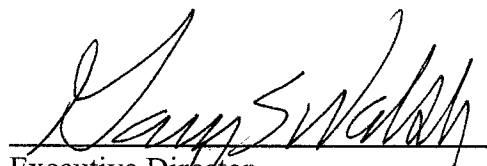
It appears to this Commission that the transfer is in the public interest, and that BellSouth's customers are sufficiently protected. Accordingly, the transfer, as proposed, is hereby granted.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

(SEAL)